

THE WEATHER TODAY
Forecast for Eastern New York:
Local showers Monday; Tuesday,
cloudy, probably showers south por-
tion. Little change in temperature.

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PRESIDENT CARRANZA KILLED BY BETRAYER

General Herrero, Professing Loyalty, Joins Fugitive Ruler's Party and Opens Attack While Carranza Is Sleeping

REBELS REPUDIATE ASSASSINATION

In Washington Official Circles, Prospective Political Developments Overshadow Murder—Mexico Chooses Temporary Ruler Today

(By The Associated Press)
Mexico City, May 23.—A dispatch received here from Juan Barragan, chief of staff of President Carranza, says Carranza met his death at the hands of General Rodolfo Herrero's forces at Tlaxcalantongo. The dispatch did not give the exact date.

The dispatch follows:
"Villa, Jaurez, state of Puebla, May 22.
"To General Alvaro Obregon:
"Referring to your telegram of this date, Herrero joined the column at Padua, professing loyalty. Arriving at Tlaxcalantongo, Herrero offered hospitality to Carranza, placing sentinels who knew the terrain. At 4 o'clock in the morning, his men, abusing the confidence imposed in him, surrounded the shelter where Carranza was sleeping, firing their rifles furiously into the hut. Everyone offered resistance, although with the natural demoralization caused by the unexpected attack.

Traitors Were Repulsed.
"General Francisco Murguía fought valiantly in the obscurity (semi-darkness), repelling the traitors, who surprised the defenders when they were leaving the shelter to attack the enemy.

"The unexpectedness of the attack enabled us to clear our military honor. The defense was general to such an extent that the attackers were forced to take 60 prisoners, among them Mario Mendez, Paulino Fontes, Senator Garies, General Helleodoro Perez, Colonel Che Gomez, General Villan, and Carranza's military aide.

"Mendez formerly was director of the national telegraph lines; Fontes was former director of national railways; and Senator Garies was Carranza's private secretary.

"Our conscience is clear. Our grief for the death of the President is inconsolable. We are satisfied that we did not abandon him for one moment.

"The few men wounded and dead is explained by the fact that the attackers planned their crime, knowing the place where the President, who had placed his confidence in Herrero, was sleeping. The loyalty and courage of the President's followers were useless against the treason of those criminals."

The message was signed by Barragan and Mariano Gonzales, Federico Montes, Francisco de H. Maria, and others.

Flags at Half Staff.
The flag on the American embassy and all the other embassies and legal legations, were placed at half mast when the news of the assassination of President Carranza arrived.

President Carranza and General Morales Molina were the only persons killed at Tlaxcalantongo, according to newspaper dispatches received here. General Herrero is quoted by the dispatches as saying that he only desired to kill Carranza and Ygnacio Bonillas, former ambassador to the United States. General Morales Molina conducted the military trial of General Roberto F. Celado, former commander-in-chief of the forces of Emiliano Zapata in Hidalgo, who was accused of dealing with the rebels. He is said to have been mistaken for Bonillas.

The dispatches added that the three generals and two members of Carranza's cabinet, who at first were reported to have been killed, have disappeared and probably are in hiding.

Washington Watches for Political Developments
Washington, May 23.—Prospective political developments in Mexico this week began today to overshadow the killing of Carranza.

The Mexican congress meets in special session tomorrow to choose a President ad interim. Adolfo de la Huerta, chosen by the Sonora group a month ago as the provisional president, and General Pablo Gonzalez, appear as the outstanding candidates, but the chief concern of the American officials and business men having Mexican interests is not so much in the vicinity of the successful candidate as in the strength of the co-opera-



President Venustiano Carranza

reason to believe the situation will be studied carefully for some time after the selection of a president ad interim before any course of procedure is determined.

Mexico City, May 23.—The permanent commission of the national congress failed to obtain a quorum on two attempts to hold sessions yesterday for the purpose of choosing a provisional president. The members of the commission, which functions between the regular session of congress, claim the right to name a provisional president under the constitution, following the death of the president, Venustiano Carranza.

The majority of the members of congress oppose this view because of their acceptance of the Agua Prieta plan which calls for extraordinary

PAPEN SOUGHT TO STOP U. S. MAKING MUNITIONS

Was Told If He Succeeded Germany Would Win the War, Evidence Reveals

(By The Associated Press)
Berlin, May 23.—"If you succeed in measurably restricting American delivery of war materials to the Entente until the end of 1915 we will in all probability have won the war."

General von Falkenhayn, then chief of the German general staff, wrote thus to Captain Franz von Papen, German military attaché at Washington, in the spring of that year. The statement, which comprised part of the evidence submitted by von Papen in a recent hearing before a parliamentary commission, was amplified by him to the extent that he directed his efforts to this end.

Captain von Papen at the time was secretly examined by the national assembly commission, which also heard Count von Bernstorff, the former German ambassador to the United States. His evidence is only now made public.

Von Papen declared that he was of the same opinion politically as von Bernstorff with respect to the American situation, and so informed General von Falkenhayn where he returned after his recall from Washington.

"If you do not succeed in keeping the United States out of the enemy coalition, you will have lost the war," von Papen informed the chief of staff. He added that tremendous material and moral assistance were at the disposal of America. "But," continued von Papen, "these were so imperfectly appreciated here I deem it necessary to enlighten German public opinion concerning them."

The military attaché obtained the consent of von Jagow, former secretary, to appear before the German editors for the purpose of informing them on the German attitude, but Major Nicol, chief of the press and espionage division of the general staff, opposed the plan.

MINERS TO CONSIDER SETTLEMENT PROPOSAL

Big Wage Increase and Recognition of Union Granted in Labor Secretary's Plan

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., May 23.—Wage increases exceeding the 5 percent advance already offered by the operators, and recognition of the union, are granted the anthracite mine workers in a tentative contract prepared by Secretary of Labor Wilson to be presented at the tri-district miners' convention, which opens here tomorrow.

John L. Lewis, international president of the United Mine Workers, announced tonight.

While not officially approved by the operators, it is understood that they will agree to the proposals of the secretary of labor if they are accepted by the hard coal diggers.

In event the new wage propositions are rejected, the contention will be asked to pass on President Wilson's plan to have the entire controversy settled by a commission of three men to be appointed by the President.

Mr. Lewis declined tonight to reveal the details of Secretary Wilson's proposal, but said that they probably would be made public tomorrow after being presented to the delegates.

"I cannot discuss the merits of the wage proposal or that of the appointment of a commission," said Mr. Lewis. "That is a matter for the men to decide entirely among themselves."

President Wilson's commission proposal will be fought in the convention, it was learned tonight, when several groups of delegates from one district reported that they had been instructed by their local unions to oppose any suggestion to submit the dispute to a commission.

BODIES OF TEN WOMEN WAR NURSES HOME ON TRANSPORT

New York, May 23.—The bodies of ten women war nurses who died overseas on duty at army base hospitals, and the first to be brought home, arrived here today on the transport Princess Matoika.

On board also were the bodies of 418 soldiers who lost their lives in accidents or succumbed to wounds and disease.

Returning to their homes in various parts of the country were 1,690 Polish troops who enlisted when the war broke out going to France and later to Poland. There were also several casual army officers, 20 war brides, and several prisoners.

Sessions of congress beginning May 24 for the purpose of choosing a provisional president.

Failure of the commission to obtain a quorum is taken generally as indicating that the choice of the extraordinary session will be accepted.

Report Villa on New Rampage.
El Paso, May 23.—An unconfirmed report that General Francisco Villa had ordered Americans and other foreign owned mining companies in Chihuahua to pay him \$500,000 and that he had cut the power line between Boquillas and Parral, caused considerable concern in Mexican revolutionary circles here today.

Jamestown Minus Phone Service For Two Days

Jamestown, May 23.—This city has been entirely without telephone service for two days, on account of the strike of 90 girl operators, following that of 20 line-men. General Manager Wright, of the local company, granted the increase asked by the operators, his permanence to be conditional upon an increase of rates by the public service commission, but the girls refused the advance unless the line-men's terms were granted. Today the union has made a new demand that the plant superintendent, F. E. Rogers, shall be removed.

CAVALRY BREAKS MOB AFTER NEGRO SLAYER

Prisoner Accused of Shooting Man and Assaulting Latter's Fiancee Is Besieged

Washington, May 23.—A detachment of cavalry from Fort Myer was called out tonight to disperse a mob of more than a thousand persons, which surrounded the jail at Alexandria, Va., 12 miles from the limits of the District of Columbia, attempting to obtain possession of William Turner, a negro.

Turner is accused of having shot to death T. Morgan Moore, an employee of the naval torpedo plant at Alexandria, Va., and of having attempted to attack Miss Pearl Clark of Washington, Moore's fiancee and secretary to Representative Britten of Illinois. The negro was arrested early today about two hours after Moore was killed. Turner later confessed, according to the police.

Moore and Miss Clark, according to the report made to Virginia and Washington authorities by the latter, were seated in an automobile near the Virginia end of the Potomac river bridge connecting Washington and Virginia, when the negro approached them. Pointing a revolver at Moore, Miss Clark said, the negro demanded money. When Moore refused, Miss Clark said she became frightened and jumped from the machine, the negro starting after her. Then Moore, according to Miss Clark, seized a revolver from a door pocket of the automobile and fired at the negro. In an exchange of shots, Moore was shot through the heart and the negro struck in the leg and hand. According to Miss Clark, he continued to pursue her until she had given him some jewelry.

Turner, who is said to answer the description given by Miss Clark of the assassin, was captured in the vicinity of the Arlington national cemetery. Police say Turner bore two wounds, one in the hand and the other in the leg, when arrested.

Moore and Miss Clark, whose home is in Chicago, were to be married soon.

\$2,500 REWARD FOR BERGDOLL'S CAPTURE

No Clues Yet Obtained As to Whereabouts of Draft Evader Who Escaped Guards

Washington, May 23.—Hearings looking toward revision of the freight rate structure of the entire country to meet the government guarantee of a six per cent return on the railway properties of the nation, will be started tomorrow by the Interstate Commerce commission.

Representatives of virtually every interest connected with the nation's transportation system, including the public, will have an opportunity to present their cases. Three state public utility commissioners will sit with the commission while the question of what increases are to be granted is threshed out.

SENATOR JOHNSON LEADS GENERAL WOOD IN OREGON

Portland, Ore., May 23.—Senator Eliran W. Johnson had a lead of 1,632 votes over Major Leonard Wood for the Oregon presidential preference, according to figures compiled tonight by the Portland Oregonian from 197 complete and six incomplete precincts in Multnomah county (Portland), complete returns from 12, and incomplete returns from 23 of the other counties of the state.

APPROVE MERIT AS STANDARD

New York, May 23.—Approval of the policy of civil service appointments for merit and fitness rather than political affiliation, is expressed by several candidates for president in letters received by the National Civil Service Reform league, it was announced by the league tonight. The replies were received from Herbert Hoover, General Leonard Wood, A. Mitchell Palmer, William G. McAdoo, Nicholas Murray Butler, Governor Cox, and Governor Lowden, in response to inquiries as to their attitude toward government civil service.

INAUGURATE OLYMPIC STADIUM

Antwerp, May 23.—The Olympic stadium, completed three months ahead of time, was officially inaugurated this afternoon with a great gymnastic exhibition comprising 600 men and girls, mostly Belgians. The structure is ready for the games, even under tracks for the running events being completed.

About 10,000 persons were present.

BLAMES R. R. OFFICIALS FOR FREIGHT TIE-UP

Head of Security Holders Says Federal Control Must Return If They Fail in Crisis

Washington, May 23.—Blame for the nation-wide freight congestion was placed on the railroad operating officials tonight by S. Davies Warfield, president of the Association of Owners of Railroad Securities.

In an analysis of the transportation crisis, Mr. Warfield said the railroad operating officials had failed to meet the situation and that government ownership would be "forced upon an unwilling country" unless the carriers themselves devised constructive methods.

Mr. Warfield approved the Interstate Commerce commission's proposal for a national equipment corporation, but said that such an agency should be created by congress rather than by the roads, which, he said, had failed to arrive at a common basis of understanding even in the distribution of the \$300,000,000 revolving fund provided by the transportation act.

Railroads Have Failed

"The railroads thus far have failed to meet the situation," he added. "Within three months from their return to the owners, we find the railroads involving powers granted the Interstate Commerce commission in the transportation act, which powers, together with their vital provisions now in the law, the Association of Railway Executives opposed being granted to the commission."

Mr. Warfield said he planned to suggest to the commission this week that trustees of the proposed equipment corporation be composed of "practical railroad operating officials, financial men and representatives of the Interstate Commerce commission." There has been no indication when the commission plans to take up formation of the corporation. Inasmuch as railroad executives have not offered any concrete suggestions as to methods for establishing the agency insofar as financing 75 per cent of the capital stock of \$500,000,000, it is regarded by railroad experts as probable that the corporation cannot be put into shape in time to aid in breaking the present freight blockade.

The 23 local committees recently designated by the commission meet in their respective cities tomorrow, and it is expected will be able to survey their individual problems within 48 hours. Information they gather will be forwarded immediately to the commission to be used in deciding on a policy relating to priorities and embargoes.

The great exchange of equipment, scheduled by the commission's order to commence Tuesday, was pointed out to ease the strain on the roads materially once the movement of cars east and west gets under way.

WOULD REVISE FREIGHT RATES TO MEET FEDERAL GUARANTEE

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GEORGES CARPENTIER TO MEET BATTLING LEVINSKY

New York, May 23.—George Carpentier, heavyweight boxing champion of Europe, and Battling Levinsky of New York, American light-heavyweight title holder, have agreed to meet in a 12 or 15 round contest at 175 pound rimbawd on or before July 25. It was announced tonight by Jack Curley, Carpentier's American representative. The time and place of the bout will be decided later.

VOLUNTEER SWITCHMAN KILLED

Buffalo, May 23.—John L. Benedict, a traveling freight agent of the Lackawanna railroad, was killed while switching cars as a volunteer in the local yards today.

GOMPERS DEMANDS AN OVERTURN IN CONGRESS

Labor's Enemies Must Be Defeated; Friends Must Be Elected, Federation Head Says in Call to Electorate

NEED "DEEP CUTTING MEASURES"

Immediate Adjustment of Wages to Meet Living Costs Is One of Principal Demands Made; Government "Incompetence" Attacked

(By The Associated Press)
Washington, May 23.—The American Federation of Labor has issued its expected call to the electorate for "an overturn in congress."

Under the signature of President Samuel Gompers, the current issue of The American Federationist, the official organ, carries an indictment of congress and the executive department for "incompetence on the cost of living issue," and outlining a program of "deep cutting measures," and declares:

"There must be an overturn in congress. Enemies must be defeated; friends must be elected."

Living Costs Increased 96%
Presenting an itemized list of corporation profits, similar to that recently introduced in a speech by Senator Capper of Kansas, Mr. Gompers declares that while 21 enumerated corporations last year received profits averaging 435 per cent above normal, the average cost of living increased 95 per cent, and the average union wage 35 per cent.

"The 'deep cutting measures' which Mr. Gompers writes will be necessary 'to guard the nation's distributing machinery against assault from the pirates of trade and commerce' are:

"Immediate adjustment of wages, both in private employment and in government service, to at least meet the living costs that have outstripped incomes by reason of this era of frenzied profiteering and gambling.

"Immediate effective action to prevent continued increases in the cost of living.

"An end to the kind of legislation typified by the Esch-Cummings railroad law, and the Kansas court of industrial relations law. There must be an end of legislative repression, restriction and coercion. Not only must there be an end to the enactment of legislation of this character, but there must be a repeal of legislation already enacted.

Urges Public Credit Control.
"The congress will do well to give immediate, effective consideration, to the proposals of the American labor movement that control of credit capital be taken from private financiers and placed in the hands of a public trust to be administered upon principles voluntary and cooperative in character. This will strike a vital blow toward eliminating the abuses of profiteering and exploitation.

"Congress should provide immediately for full publicity for income tax returns.

"There must be immediate steps toward equalization of wages and the cost of living, and effective steps to prevent a new margin from replacing the one to be dissolved. This means that there must be a permanent remedy for the high cost of living.

"The working people of the United States are speaking in mandatory terms. If those in control of the legislative destinies of the country do not understand the needs of the workers, at least the workers themselves understand. They know the restraint; which they have practiced. They know the limit to their endurance. Their demand to be heard is a demand which comprehends the welfare of the country."

President Wilson proposed measures of relief, Mr. Gompers writes, "but congress gave no heed," and since the signing of the armistice, "the American political and industrial bourgeois have had a course of plunder, restriction and coercion."

The recent unsanctioned strike of railway men Mr. Gompers characterizes as "a symptom of what is the matter with America."

Their methods, he deplored as foredoomed to failure and in contravention to the discipline of the trades union movement, but, he argues, their appeals for relief from increased living costs of long standing and their suffering "postponement after postponement."

Cases of "Profiteering and Gambling."
Mr. Gompers denounces some of his statement to specific cases of "profiteering and gambling." Aside from the increased corporation profits listed, he gives three "illustrations derived from authentic sources."

A Chicago speculator, on a tip from a friend, bought a quantity of webbing, and without having seen it or having any knowledge of its nature or use, sold it at a profit of \$29,000.

A carload of live chickens shipped to Chicago from Omaha was returned eventually to Omaha and sold in the retail market, after passing through 11 hands, "all of which leaved a toll of profit."

A New York warehouse broker, buying a warehouse receipt for several thousands yards of silk, sold it at a

profit of \$10,000. "He performed no service in getting it from producer to consumer," writes Mr. Gompers. "He bought a piece of paper and sold it."

"If congress had seen fit to respond to the wishes of the President," writes Mr. Gompers, "and enacted some of the legislation suggested by him, it would have been possible to curb, at least to some extent, this unlicensed plundering in the necessities of life. For congress to deny that relief is possible, is for congress to confess the incompetency of which the evidence convinces it."

Attorney General Palmer does not escape attack.

"The attorney general," Mr. Gompers declares, "has found it possible to indict corner grocers and small haberdashers for offenses which are of no moment at all in comparison to the whole situation. He has found it possible to advise the people to eat the poorer cuts of meat. He has found it possible to do a number of ineffective things, but seems to have found it beyond his capacity to do everything Advice to eat the cheaper cuts of meat must give way to a more intelligent comprehension of facts and a willingness to deal with them in an American fashion constructively."

Gompers Assails Courts, Too.
Neither do the courts escape the indictment Mr. Gompers draws for congress and the executive departments. The courts, he says, "bring their assistance to those who have so ably been plundering the people," citing the supreme court decision which held stock dividends not taxable as incomes.

"The working people," writes Mr. Gompers, "understand as well as any the dangers of the present political and industrial condition of the world. They have understood the need of restraint. They have no desire to rock the boat. . . . While protesters have reaped untold gains, makers of laws have gone about the business of writing into the statutes measures for the suppression of trade union activity. Out of this repression and out of this ruthless exploitation and profiteering has been bred among the working people a deep and stern resentment. No excuse will be accepted from the congress of the United States for its failure to find proposals of a constructive nature to meet a situation that has long been of alarming proportions and of the utmost gravity and significance. . . . There is a determination throughout the United States to right the wrongs which have been inflicted. The working people of the United States are aroused not only as trade unionists, but as trade unionists, workers and American citizens. War forced upon the workers must be recognized, and it is recognized. In the face of this warfare, the labor movement will stand firm and will tolerate no breakdown of its standards. It will resort to no undue haste, and it will countenance no conduct that is not in strictest accord with trade union traditions, trade union laws and rules, and the highest concept of the patriotic duty of American citizens.

"The congress of the United States cannot say that it has not had laid before it suggestions for effective action and plans for real relief. It can say only that it would not listen and would not act."

BOLESHIEVISTS CAPTURE WHITE SEA FLEET, IT IS REPORTED
London, May 23.—After the Bolshevik forces occupied Enzeli last week, according to a Bolshevik communication received here from Moscow, they captured the entire White Sea fleet, consisting of six cruisers and seven transports.

A large quantity of war material from the Caucasus, which had belonged to General Denikine, is also reported to have been taken by the Bolsheviks.

TONIGHT TONIGHT
AND ALL THIS WEEK

Neahwa Park

Firemen's and
City Band

CARNIVAL

Williams'
Standard
ShowsThe Show you have been
waiting for15 Standard Attractions 15
FOUR RIDES

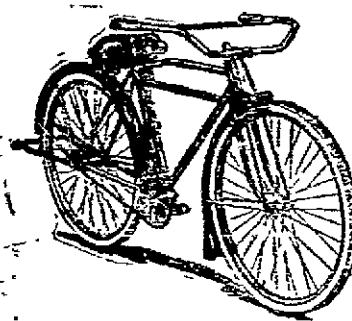
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Results of Yesterday's Games

PITTSBURGH LEADS NATIONAL
LEAGUE BY ONE GAME MARGIN

New York, May 23.—A three-cornered fight for first place in the National League among Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Brooklyn has been fought about by the winning sport of the Pirates, who now lead by one game. Cleveland is setting a fast pace in the American League race, closely followed by Boston and Chicago, both of which recovered some of the ground lost the previous week.

Pittsburgh has won six of its last seven games, including Ponder's shut-out against Brooklyn today, through steady pitching and timely batting. The same combination has kept the Cleveland Americans ahead of their rivals.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
10-2 WIN FOR CHICAGO.

Causey's Wildness, Coupled with Erratic Support, Means Defeat for Phils.
Chicago, May 23.—Causey's wildness, coupled with erratic support and bunched hits, gave Chicago a 10-2 victory over Philadelphia here today.

Bunch 6 Hits for 6 Runs.
Cardinals Defeat New York Giants for Second Straight, 6 to 4.
St. Louis, May 23.—St. Louis bunched all of their six hits for a like number of runs in two innings today, and defeated New York for the second consecutive time, 6 to 4. Shotton won the game in the fourth inning with a home run, after two were out, scoring Lavan, who had singled ahead of him. New York . . . 10 10 11 0 0 0—4 8 0
St. Louis . . . 0 0 4 2 0 0 0 0—6 4 4
Batteries — Barnes and Smith; Doak, Sherdel and Dillhoefer.

PIRATES ARE VICTORIOUS.
Score Only Run in Ninth After Ponder-Pfeiffer Pitchers' Battle.
Brooklyn, May 23.—The Brooklyn and Pittsburgh clubs jumped to Brooklyn for a Sunday game today, and the Pirates won, 1 to 0, scoring the only run in the ninth inning, after a pitchers' battle between Ponder and Pfeiffer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
YANKEES DOWN ST. LOUIS.
Ruth's Sixth Home Run of Season Gives New York a 3-2 Victory.
New York, May 23.—Ruth's sixth home run of the season, scoring Pupp ahead of him, enabled New York to defeat St. Louis here today, 3 to 2. Jacobson's home run into the left-field stand with Williams on base accounted for the visitor's runs.

SENATORS NAB ANOTHER.
Bunch Hits Off Cicotte Early in Game and Win from Chicago, 3-1.
Washington, May 23.—Washington won from Chicago today, 3 to 1, by bunching hits off Cicotte early in the game.
Chicago . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 10—1 6 0
Washington . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 7 0
Batteries — Cicotte and Schalk; Erickson and Gharrett.

ATHLETICS WIN IN EIGHTH.

Philadelphia Bunches Hits with Error and Defeats Cleveland, 2-1.
Cleveland, May 23.—Philadelphia defeated Cleveland, 2 to 1, today, winning in the eighth inning when they bunched two hits with an error by Warbeksars.
Philadelphia . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2—10 0
Cleveland . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 2
Batteries — Martin and Perkins; Cleveland and O'Neill.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Akron, 3; Rochester, 0.
Syracuse, 7; Baltimore, 3.
Toronto, 4; Buffalo, 3.
Jersey City, 7; Reading, 1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St. Paul, 5; Louisville, 2.
Minneapolis, 5; Indianapolis, 5.
Columbus, 13; Kansas City, 7.
Toledo, 3; Milwaukee, 2.

EASTERN LEAGUE

Worcester, 9; Albany, 0.
Hartford, 16; Waterbury, 1.
Springfield, 4; New Haven, 7.
Bridgeport, 4; Pittsfield, 1.

SATURDAY'S GAMES

National.
St. Louis, 3; New York, 1.
Boston, 2; Cincinnati, 1.
Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburgh, 1.
Chicago, 15; Philadelphia, 8.

American.
St. Louis, 2; New York, 1.
Cleveland, 4; Philadelphia, 1.
Chicago, 10; Washington, 5.
Detroit-Boston; postponed, rain.

International.
Jersey City, 9; Reading, 5.
Akron, 3; Rochester, 1. (first game).
Rochester, 11; Akron, 5. (second game).
Syracuse, 4; Baltimore, 2.
Toronto, 3; Buffalo, 1.

Eastern League.
New Haven, 6; Pittsfield, 3.
All other games postponed, rain.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	Won	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburgh	17	11	.607
Cincinnati	17	13	.567
Brooklyn	14	11	.560
Chicago	17	15	.521
St. Louis	14	15	.483
Boston	12	13	.480
New York	11	16	.407
Philadelphia	11	19	.367

Y. M. C. A. NINE WINS AGAIN

Defeats High School Team for Second Consecutive Time Last Saturday by Score of 17 to 11.

The Oneonta High School baseball team suffered its second consecutive defeat at the hands of the Y. M. C. A. nine Saturday afternoon at the fair grounds, the final score being 17 to 11. Until near the end, the game was close, both sides putting up a hard fight, but the "Y" men, as in the game a week before, went on a batting rampage and clinched the game in the seventh inning.

The Y. M. C. A. started things in the first inning, bringing in three tallies as a result of Pedrone's home run to deep center, with two men on bases. In the second, the High school brought in one run and from then on until the eventful seventh, the score ran pretty close. In their half of the seventh, the High school players succeeded in tying the score, but not for long, as Safford, the O. H. S. pitcher, "blew up" in the last half of the seventh, and as a result, the "Y" men pulled in ten runs, making the score 17 to 1. In the eighth, J. J. Lido, who relieved Safford, held the "Y" safely at their last raps. In the final two rounds, the High school got four more runs, thus making the final score 17 to 11.

Pedrone pitched a steady game for the Y. M. C. A. while Merchant did good work on the bat. The fielders gave excellent support throughout. For the High school, Perry played his usual good game at first base, while Webb was "lucky" behind the home plate. The game was featured by four home runs by Pedrone, Davidson and Safford for the "Y," and Safford for the High school. The High school show a marked improvement in their play, especially in hitting, and made a good showing.

During the third inning, Donald Burke, O. H. S. right fielder, was hit on the head when a bat by a pitched ball, but was able to resume play when the High school went into the field again.

SUPPLY OF MONEY
UNUSUALLY SMALLEvents in Markets of Country
Last Week Most Momentous
Since End of War

New York, May 23.—Events in the financial and commodity markets of the country last week were rated by competent authorities as the most significant and momentous since the termination of the world war.

Additional contraction of credits, prompted by the inflexible policy of the Federal Reserve board to further reduce loans, was attended by greater depreciation of securities, notably Liberty bonds, and by a wave of price-cutting, which comprehended countless lines of raw and fabricated materials. Foodstuffs and other provisions were the only staples to offer resistance to the crusade against the high cost of living. Even in that quarter, however, indications of a far-reaching decline or reaction were apparent.

An important element in accelerating the cut price movement was the foreign situation and car shortage, causing further serious delay and consequent reduction of activity in many leading branches of industry, particularly steel and iron.

According to well-informed financial interests, the supply of money now available for other purposes other than "essential business" is smaller than at any period in the last 15 months, or since the country entered upon its era of post-bellum reconstruction.

That trade readjustment is world wide is evidenced by the April export figures, which show a decrease of \$135,000,000. While imports fell away some \$30,000,000, estimates for the current month of foreign trade indicate further shrinkage.

New York Produce.

Butter — Steady. Receipts, 2,620 tubs; creamery, higher than extras, 62¢@62½; extra 92 score, 61½; first, 88 to 91 score, 57½@59; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 40½@41.

Eggs — Weak; receipts, 29,520 cases; storage packed, extra first, 47¢@47½; do first, 44½@46½; fresh gathered, extra first, 45½@46½; do first, 43@45; state, Penna. and near-by western henner white, first to extra, 51¢@53; do brown, extras, 49¢@51; do gathered brown and mixed colors, first to extra, 44¢@45½.

Cheese — Steady; receipts, 2,160 boxes; state, whole milk flats, held specials, white and colored, 31¢@32; do average run, 30; state, whole milk, flats, current make special white and colored, 28½@29; do average run, 27¢@28.

Poultry — Live, easy; express broilers, 40¢@70; fowls, 40¢; roosters, 25¢; turkeys, 30¢; dressed, steady and unchanged.

Rye — Weak; No. 2 western, \$2.23½.

New York Meats.
Cattle — Receipts, 550; no trading. Calves — Receipts, 220; barely steady; veals, \$12@16.50; culls, \$10@12.

Sheep and Lambs — Receipts, 1,460; steady; no spring lambs; medium unshorn lambs, \$17@17.20; clipped, do, \$9.

Hogs — Receipts, 2,410; steady at \$15.50@16; pigs, \$15.50, roughs, \$13.

ONEONTA MARKET.

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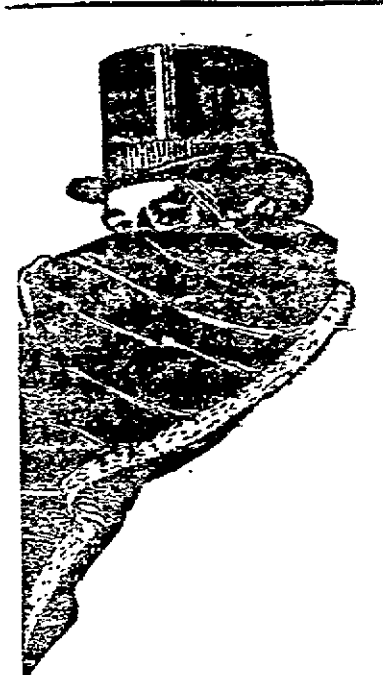
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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

OTSEGO OCCURRENCES.

George Wright Installs Milking Machine Purchased of T. Place.

Otego, May 23. — George Wright has installed a new milking machine which he purchased of T. Place, the local agent.

Grange Meeting.

Grange meeting Monday evening. Floyd S. Barlow, manager of the Otego County Improvement association, will speak.

Farms Sold.

The John Haines farm of 150 acres at Erie Creek has been sold to Milton Barber. The purchase price was \$2,500.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Sarah J. Skidell, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. McClure of Philadelphia, has returned to her home. — Mrs. W. J. Harris and daughter, Miss Dora, have returned from Florida to their home here. — Mrs. Amy Betteff attended the Rebekah State assembly at Albany as representative of the Vale Hanna Rebekah lodge of this village. — Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Swink of Troy have arrived in town to spend a few weeks at the home of their son, H. H. Swink. — Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McClure of Oneonta were recent guests at A. R. Baker's. — Mrs. M. H. Widger, who has been visiting her son in Connecticut, has returned to her home here. — Neil Lasher attended the funeral of his uncle, Smith Lasher, at New Lisbon, Thursday. — Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baker of Oneonta recently visited his brother, Arthur Baker.

FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY.

Large Attendance at Final Obsequies for Milford Woman.

Milford, May 23. — The funeral services of Miss Betsey Knapp, who died at her home in this village Wednesday, were held at her late home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. There was a large attendance of friends and neighbors and the numerous floral pieces showed the high esteem in which the deceased was held. The services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. N. B. Ripley of the Methodist Episcopal church, who, following the reading of the scripture, delivered a few brief remarks on the life and character of the deceased. Miss Knapp was a member of the

Methodist Episcopal church, and as long as health permitted was active in all the interests of church and society. She made many warm friends and was a woman much loved and respected in this community. Her health had gradually failed the past few years and during this time she was cared for by Mrs. Julia Hall, who resided with her. She will be greatly missed, not only by her immediate family, but by all who knew her. Interment was in the family plot in Milford cemetery.

Autumn May Festival.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Armstrong were at Saratoga Wednesday, where, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Armstrong of Cherry Valley, they attended the spring festival of the Skidmore School of Arts. Miss Margaret Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Armstrong, is a student at this school.

No Services Sunday.

There were no church services or Sunday school sessions at either church today, as all precautions are being taken to prevent the spread of scarlet fever.

WEST LAURENS SEWING CIRCLE

Meets Wednesday with Mrs. Hopkins — Other Vicinity News.

The Women's Sewing circle will meet Wednesday, May 26th, for supper with Mrs. Curtis Hopkins. Everybody invited.

Those Who Are Ill.

Mrs. Dora Butts of Davenport is here helping care for her father, James Sheldon, who is seriously ill of heart trouble.

Mrs. Jane Southern and son, Fred, of Morris, are in town helping care for the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Rogers, who suffered a paralytic stroke Tuesday night. She is very seriously ill.

Mrs. Louis Johnson goes to the Fox Memorial hospital at Oneonta every week for treatment.

Teachers for Next Year.

Miss Anna Woolhouse will teach next year at West Laurens, Mrs. Besse Dyer at Butts Corners, Miss Gladys Lull at Taylor's Corners, Anna Taylor in the Buck school, Miss Lulu Lull at Smyrna and Miss Helen Jenks in the Taylor district.

MRS. JOHN REICE.

Funeral of Respected Worcester Woman Held Friday Afternoon.

Worcester, May 23. — The funeral services of Hannah Mitchell Reice, wife of John Reice, were held Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from her home, with Rev. W. D. Jones, of the Presbyterian church, officiating. A little over a week ago, Mrs. Reice

submitted to a serious operation at St. Peter's hospital in Albany and was thought to be making a good recovery until last Monday, when unexpected complications arose which caused her death.

She was a devoted wife and mother and a kind neighbor, and had many friends who mourn her passing.

She leaves her husband, two children, her mother, and one brother, who have the sympathy of a host of friends.

Juniors Give Banquet.

The Junior class of the Worcester High school gave a banquet for the Senior class and the members of the faculty Friday evening. A delicious menu was served under the supervision of the domestic science teacher, Miss Mina Davies. Several toasts were given. The affair was a decided success from every standpoint.

Mrs. Longenbelt Sells Residence.

Mrs. Flora L. Longenbelt has sold her residence on Main street to Howard Flint, who will take possession in the fall. This is one of the most desirable locations in the village, a building lot and considerable land being included.

Unprecedented Demand for Houses.

Never in the history of this village has there been such a demand for living apartments and houses. Several families, who would like to make this place their home, have been obliged to locate elsewhere. On account of the scarcity of materials and high prices, little building is being done.

DEATH OF MRS. JOHN CLARK.

Cooperstown Woman Had Been Failing in Health for Two Years.

Cooperstown, May 23. — Mrs. John Clark died Friday morning at her home on Pioneer street. She had been failing in health for the past two years. Mrs. Clark was born in Cooperstown and was a daughter of the late Owen and Alice (Cunningham) McCabe. The greater part of her life before her marriage was spent in the vicinity of Fly Creek. After her marriage to Mr. Clark, she became a resident of Cooperstown, where she was held in high esteem. Mrs. Clark's life was devoted to her family and church and many a kind deed was done by her in her quiet, unassuming way.

Mrs. Clark is survived by her husband; by four sons, Bernard, Owen G. and Paul A. of Cooperstown, and John V. of Oneonta; by one daughter, Mrs. H. Neal Robinson of Cooperstown, and by seven grandchildren. The funeral services will be held Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the church of Our Lady of the Lake, high requiem mass being celebrated by Rev. Patrick H. Crowe; burial in St. Mary's cemetery.

Death of Mrs. Barrett.

Mrs. Margaret Barrett, wife of Henry Barrett of Springfield Center, died at her home Thursday last. The funeral services were held on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, from the Church Our Lady of the Lake in this village, with Rev. Fathers Crowe of Cooperstown and Loughlin of Cherry Valley officiating. Mrs. Barrett is survived by her husband; a son, Henry; and a daughter, Mrs. Clarence Harvey, all residing at Springfield Center; and three other daughters, Mrs. Lester Tunnell of this village, Mrs. Nelson Smith of Udena and Mrs. Harrison of Starkville.

Former Cooperstown Girl Married.

Cooperstown friends have received announcements issued by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spencer Russell, of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Sarah Helen, to Lieut. John Stanley, of the United States navy, on Tuesday, May 4, in New York city. The young woman is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey I. Russell of Cooperstown and until a few years ago she was a resident of this village.

Aged Woman Suffers Broken Hip.

Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Henry Scott went out to her flower garden to gather some blossoms. She is 83 years old and rather feeble. While bending over to pick the flowers, she fell, sustaining a broken hip. Mrs. Scott is being cared for at Thanksgiving hospital.

WEST ONEONTA.

West Oneonta, May 23. — Mrs. R. C. Collier, Mrs. E. H. Weatherly and Mrs. Buel Smith spent Thursday in Binghamton. — Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Scofield of Wells Bridge called on relatives here Thursday. — Mrs. L. E. Brownson spent Friday at Otego with her cousin, Mrs. James Jewell. — Mrs. M. Champlin had a private sale of household goods last week. Mr. and Mrs. Champlin expect to make their home in Oneonta for the present. — Mrs. Morrell Grant of Schenectady underwent an operation at the Fox Memorial hospital in Oneonta Thursday. Friday she was resting as comfortably as could be expected. Mrs. Grant is a sister of Mrs. William Stenson and Mrs. George Beckwith of this place.

LAURENS NEWS LETTER.

Laurens, May 23. — All residents of Laurens and vicinity who are interested in the proper observance of Memorial day in this village on Monday, May 31, are requested to meet at the High School building Monday afternoon, May 24, at 4 o'clock, to discuss arrangements. — Hiram Whitmarsh has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to walk down town Thursday. — Mrs. Justus Wickham was visiting Mrs. Claire Wickham last week. — Miss Mary Hotelling, who has been confined to the house by illness, is recovering nicely. — Mrs. E. Foote is visiting friends in Walton. — Miss Laura Felber has moved from Mrs. H. O. Kidder's to her home on the factory grounds.

MT. VISION HAPPENINGS.

Mt. Vernon, May 23. — Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hall of Hion visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hall, last Sunday. — Mrs. Vernon Dayton was in Oneonta Wednesday. — Dr. M. C.

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DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

THE NEWS AT HOBART.

Hobart, May 23. — John C. McMurdo, and Mrs. T. E. Gould received word Friday of the death of their sister-in-law, Mrs. G. K. McMurdo. The body will be brought here and funeral services held Monday at 10 o'clock in the Episcopal church. Burial in Locust Hill cemetery. — Rev. D. S. Haynes, who has been out of town several weeks on account of illness, arrived in Hobart Friday afternoon and conducted the morning service in the Presbyterian church Sunday. — W. E. King and H. E. Odell were business callers in Delhi Friday. — Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Rose of Ross Brook are guests of relatives here. — Miss Carrie Peters returned to Hobart Friday after several weeks' stay in Delhi. — Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hillis of Bloomville visited Mrs. Esther Hillis Thursday.

MERIDALE LOCALS.

Meridale, May 23. — William Sheldon visited his daughter, Mrs. F. D. Mackey, last week. — Mr. and Mrs. F.

Wright, Mrs. David Hills, Miss Lida W. Ayer of Philadelphia are at their summer home in Meridale. — The Ladies Aid society met with Mrs. Solomon Kimball Thursday afternoon. — Mrs. Mary Shaver of Meridale is in very poor health. — Mrs. B. L. Huff and daughter, Jean, are spending a couple of weeks at the home of James Sinclair, West Meridale. — Char Grant of Oneonta spent a few days this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown. — Mrs. George Rockefeller and two children are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rockefeller. — F. J. Strickland attended a recent sale of stock in Bloomville and purchased several live head. — Howard Frisbee, who was critically ill of scarlet fever last week, is now believed to be on the road to recovery. — Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Mackey and Bruce Bouton of Oneonta spent Wednesday with relatives in town.

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WHO TAKE THE SWORD.
In Genesis and Revelations alike—in the first and last books of the canonical scriptures—is the declaration that those who take the sword shall perish by the sword. If evidence of the truth of this assertion were needed more than the past thousands of years have furnished, it can be found in the chronicles of Mexico for the last half century, beginning with the execution of Maximilian and continuing to the present month, culminating on Thursday last with the slaughter, apparently wantonly, of the fugitive ex-President Carranza. It was a crime, so far as reports at hand indicate, which could by no canon of international or even national law be justified; and for this reason many who believed his rule in Mexico unjust, arbitrary and against the best interests of the nation, will deprecate the tragic manner of his taking off.

In fact, from the year 1821, when Mexico declared her independence, the history of that country has been a succession of revolutions, and in very recent memory Diaz, Huerta, Madero and Carranza have ruled, been overthrown and either have escaped as exiles or have been slain. Though forms of election to the presidency have followed, president has succeeded president, not by the peaceful processes of the ballot, but by revolutions, the voting which followed being dictated by the temporarily successful party. Never satisfactory to the people at large, the accession of a new executive has been followed by a new insurgent party, as in fact already is talked with Carranza only a few days dead; and in the end, if history is to repeat itself, another revolution, and then others will follow the present one.

There is no question that Mexico is at present unable or unwilling to govern herself as other nations are governed. Nor is there any that her location as regards the United States makes her a constant menace, which, as in the days of the recent war, might become serious. Under these circumstances, there are many who believe that the United States is properly more concerned in affairs on our southern border than in the troubles of humanity in Eastern Europe and in Asia. Further, they hold that for the protection of her own citizens doing business in Mexico and of those residing in the border states, she should insist on some stable form of government established in the southern so-called republic. Failing this, there is bound to be a succession of Madero and Carranza tragedies in Mexico herself, and of continued raiding across the Rio Grande. It is a serious question, that of the relations of the United States and Mexico, and it requires statesmanship of a high order to deal with it properly.

CHEAPER THAN EXPECTED.

Administration of the state income tax law, says Comptroller Travis, has cost \$200,000 less than the amount estimated by the framers of the bill. One million dollars was the sum the experts in conference with the joint legislative committee on taxation expected would be needed for this purpose, while the bureau will actually pay out less than \$500,000 for its first year.

"These expenses include," explained the Comptroller, "not only our payments for personal services, traveling, office rental and the like, but also large sums for equipment of 15 district offices, files, running, close to \$60,000 for three-quarters of a million returns, and costly automatic machinery."

Present collections of \$33,000,000 will be swollen by the amounts received from non-residents, who have until June 30 to put in their returns.

The Comptroller added: "It was gratifying not only in a personal sense, but also to the executives and diligent employees of the bureau, to note the kindly response to the current bulletin of the National Tax Association that the administration of the law with the minimum amount of confusion and dissension, the proper credit upon the returns, and the strict observance of the law."

There will be a large number of men appearing in the streets of Oneonta now, who are the victims of the "mad" man Harry K. Anscombe, 11 Hickory street, a driver for the Quality Silk Mills, whose right wrist was fractured while he was attempting to subdue a cranky Ford. As a result, he is now carrying his arm in a sling until the effects of the business' weakness have disappeared.

WOMEN FORM LEGION

Friends of Mooseheart Institute, Oneonta Chapter, No. 414,

WITH 53 CHARTER MEMBERS.

Official Work in Charge of D. C. Huff of Buffalo, District Deputy Grand Regent—Largely Attended Banquet at The Oneonta in Evening.

Oneonta chapter, No. 414, Women of Mooseheart Legion, with 53 members receiving the degrees and 22 in waiting unable to be present, was instituted at Odd Fellows' hall Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the work being in charge of District Deputy Grand Regent D. C. Huff of Buffalo, who was assisted by Mrs. Huff, senior regent, Miss McElroy, guide, and Mrs. Ella Wangelin, recorder, all of Buffalo, chapter, with other stations filled by officers of the Binghamton chapter. The exercises were most interesting and impressive with a ritual that appealed to all.

Following the public exercises the secret work was exemplified for the 59 candidates with the same officers officiating, the degree work being especially pleasing to the candidates who were even more impressed with the good work of the legion.

The officers elected and installed later by District Deputy Huff are as follows: Past regent, Mrs. Laura Blanchard; senior regent, Roberta Rider; junior regent, Edna Buck; chaplain, Ella Southworth; guide, Louis Ritter; assistant guide, May Welsch; sentinel, Clara Cook; Aerys, Lillian Jacobus; organist, Nina Cole.

The newly organized chapter, which starts with such a gratifying membership and so much interest displayed, will meet the first and third Friday evenings of each month at Moose parlors on Dietz street. It is well organized and officered and with the inspiration received from the official visitors will no doubt have a successful year.

Banquet at The Oneonta.

Exceedingly gratifying was the large attendance at the banquet served at the Oneonta hotel Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, nearly 150 being seated. Equally pleasing was the feast prepared and served with well-nigh faultless skill by the Cafeteria management, every dish, including the toothsome quab, being done to a nicety, while perhaps even more gratifying still were the post prandial efforts. The speakers and a number of the official visitors were seated in the center of the room, the table being decorated in organization colors. Canning's orchestra furnished music for the dinner, the songs and the dancing that followed the speeches, and gave good satisfaction.

Hon. L. P. Butts presided as toastmaster and that veteran was in his happiest vein. Rev. J. C. Johnson of Elm Park church offered an invocation, and, in addition to numerous instrumental numbers during the feasting, solos were rendered by Mrs. J. M. Norton and Byron Chesbro and a selection by the Orpheus quartet, all being heard with evident delight as applause amply attested.

In presenting Mayor Ceperley to speak words of greeting, the toastmaster declared that the Mayor has been honored with the highest office in the gift of the city and has proven capable and worthy in every way, adding that Mr. Ceperley would be willing to meet every train to welcome every visitor were he not required to perform other duties. Mr. Ceperley disavowed merit, all the good things said and declared the stories of his ill health have been greatly exaggerated, but admitted his physician has placed him upon a strict diet with even stricter hours. He, however, averred that it was indeed a pleasure to attend and welcome Mooseheart legion, the youngest of our fraternal organizations, saying that even "the trees are blossoming in your honor." We welcome you because we know that you are working for a better city, and for the upbuilding of manhood and womanhood and we hear such excellent reports of the work for the children at Mooseheart home.

Fraternism was the subject assigned to Hon. George L. Bockes, whose heart Mr. Butts declared to be always in the right place and whose work in selling Liberty bonds was notable. Mr. Bockes, after a bit of pleasantries at the expense of the toastmaster, said that fraternism is the natural result of our commercial development. Formerly people fraternized in their work, barn raisings and corn huskings being forms, but with the centralization of modern industrialism fraternism are needed to keep interest in each other keen. By being interested in some one's work, people naturally become interested in each other, and so it is with the fraternal organizations. The Mooseheart home, he said, is a fine example of this, and he hoped that the women of Oneonta would put their shoulder to the



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Oneonta Theatre. Three Times Daily. Thursday and Friday, May 27th and 28th.

WILL HAVE NO OPPOSITION.

Read Seems Clear for A. J. Bloomfield in His Race for State Senate. A special to The Knickerbocker Press of Sunday from Amsterdam says: Assemblyman Allen J. Bloomfield of Richmond Springs, Oswego county, will be unopposed as the Republican candidate for senator from the thirteenth senatorial district, comprising the counties of Madison, Oswego, Schenectady and Montgomery, unless an anti-organization candidate enters the September primary in opposition to him. Tentative agreement, it is said, has been reached among party leaders in the four counties that Bloomfield shall have the support of the organization. He will not be opposed by Senator A. P. Brown, who now represents the district. Mr. Brown having decided to retire from politics and devote his time to his law practice.

So far as Montgomery county is concerned, there is little probability it will present a candidate for the office. Schenectady also is said to have acceded to the wishes of local leaders and pledged its support to the Oswego man. While Montgomery has several aspirants for the office, it is said none cares to engage in a contest, which, owing to the size of the district, would be costly. It is understood these aspirants are agreed to wait until a primary contest can be eliminated.

Following When the Twilight Shadows Fall by the Orpheus quartet, T. E. Blanchard presented, in behalf of Oneonta Moose and Legionnaires, pretty gifts as souvenirs of their visit to D. C. Huff, Mrs. D. C. Huff, Miss Louise McElroy, guide of Buffalo chapter, and Mrs. Ella Wangelin, recorder of the same chapter, each in turn responding briefly but graciously. Toastmaster Butts then announced the banquet ended. Dancing followed until the stroke of midnight, ending a day of happy consummation for Oneonta legion, No. 414.

In addition to the Buffalo visitors mentioned above, the following from Binghamton were in attendance at the banquet, most of whom witnessed also the institution of the chapter: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boswell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Casey, Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. John Turner, Mr. and Mrs. George Doellittle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vandermart, Alfred Thompson, George Raymond, and Julius McAlpine.

Dart Farm Given to Colgate.

Alumni of Colgate University residing in Oneonta and vicinity will be gratified to know that the Dart farm of nearly 150 acres, adjoining the campus at Hamilton, has been given to the university by a friend of the institution. The new gymnasium, which the present Colgate Alumni campaign is designed to provide, in addition to a million dollar endowment fund, will be located on the property. This addition will round out the general landscape scheme of the campus and will afford ample space for the university's physical development for years to come.

STUDENTS AID IN ENDOWMENT DRIVE.

The recent student drive in aid of the proposed \$5,000,000 endowment for Mt. Holyoke college, resulted in raising over \$80,000 toward the fund. As the first goal had been set at \$25,000, which was afterwards at their own request raised to \$50,000, which was far surpassed, the result was very satisfactory to the student body.

Among present students at Mt. Holyoke are the Misses Catherine Curtis and Helen Wilder of this city; and there are also several graduates of the college residing in city and vicinity.

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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY.

8 a. m. 54
2 p. m. 70
8 p. m. 64
Maximum 74. Minimum 48

Saturday's Record.

8 a. m. 52
2 p. m. 73
8 p. m. 64
Maximum 77. Minimum 49

LOCAL MENTION.

Two motor cars were reported to have come together on the Plains road last evening and were somewhat damaged. No one was reported hurt.

The second of the series of entertainments given by Martha chapter, O. E. S., for the monument fund, will be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Owing to the fact that the annual library institute for this district will be held with the Oneonta Public Library on Tuesday, the library will not be open tomorrow.

The Young Ladies' Mission society of the United Presbyterian church will hold a Japanese social at the church parlors this evening at 7:30 o'clock to which the public is invited.

Manager Edwin R. Moore offers \$10 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons who are mutilating the leather cushions in the orchestra seats of the Oneonta theatre.

The April and May divisions of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will hold a covered dish luncheon in the church parlors Friday afternoon of this week, commencing at 1 o'clock. All ladies of the church are cordially invited to attend.

The popularity contest being conducted in connection with the carnival this week has already got off to a good start. Any persons wishing to enter and who have not already done so, should apply at the fire department. Valuable prizes are awarded the winners.

ENTER THE SUNDAY SPEEDER.

Three Motorists Arrested Yesterday for Exceeding the Speed Limit.

Sunday motorists were out in full force yesterday, and as a natural consequence three of them were caught eating up the road at a speed not conducive to the safety of the public. All three were arrested on Upper Main street by Motorcycle Police-man O'Dell.

H. M. Gargan of this city was ordered to appear in police court this morning by Officer O'Dell, who charges Gargan with driving at 30 miles an hour between North Sixth street and East End avenue. The other two violators were tourists who were passing through the city and evidently thought it wasn't necessary to slow down to a moderate pace. As both desired to proceed on their way, it was arranged to have them appear at once before Judge Huntington and each was fined \$5. They were William T. Byrne of Albany and Joel C. Robinson, who were "hitting it up" at about 30 miles per hour.

Despite the large number of cars on the road yesterday, no accidents of any consequence were reported, and as a whole, things went smoothly and with no difficulty.

Meetings Today.

Stated convocation of Oneonta chapter, No. 277, R. A. M., in Masonic hall this evening at 8. The degree of Most Excellent Master will be conferred. All candidates who have taken the degree of Past Master are requested to be present.

Company G. band rehearsal this evening at 7:30.

Regular meeting of Perseverance lodge, L. A. to B. of R. T., in B. R. T. hall this evening at 7:30.

Regular meeting Canton David Wilber, No. 37, this evening at 8 o'clock. Rebekahs who are going to Millford please meet at the lodge rooms.

Bible Study class, Group 4, will meet with Mrs. Butts, 81 Ford avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Woman's Club.

There will be a special meeting of the board of directors at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the club rooms.

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For the sake of the people who have been led to believe that gasoline is so wonderfully dangerous, D. E. Robinson will give a demonstration at his plant this evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited. D. E. Robinson. advt 31

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A GREAT NATION

THEME OF EXCELLENT SERMON AT UNION MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Delivered by Rev. P. M. Luther at Lutheran Church Last Evening — Nine of the Civil War Veterans in Attendance — Large Congregation Attended.

Nine and only nine of the remaining 29 members of E. D. Farmer post, G. A. R., were in attendance at the union Memorial services Sunday evening at the Lutheran church, the congregation otherwise being large, filling the church to capacity, the Women's Relief corps and Company G being present in large numbers. The sermon was by Rev. P. M. Luther, the pastor of the church, and the theme, "A Great Nation," was eloquently handled with much of inspiration and profit in the remarks of the reverend gentleman.

Opening the service "God Bless Our Native Land" was sung, after which Dr. Russell read the 90th Psalm, Gloria Patria following rendered by the choir and congregation. The scripture lesson was read by Rev. Dr. Farley and Dr. Johns offered the prayer. Preceding the sermon "Onward, Christian Soldiers" was sung.

Mr. Luther took for his text the words, "And I will make of thee a great nation," taken from Genesis, referring to the house of Israel. Opening his sermon, Mr. Luther expressed his pleasure to welcome the veterans of the Civil war and allied organizations in the service to honor the memory of those who paid the great sacrifice, that we might live in freedom. I believe, said the speaker, that God looks on with approval, for it but calls attention to the supreme sacrifice made by His Son that we all might live and the more abundantly. Mr. Luther spoke at some length on the possibilities and the responsibilities of the call and then of the failure. He alluded in passing to the failures of other nations in the past to measure up to the demands of the day, and of their failure because they went after strange Gods and were the victims of their passions and lusts.

He then turned to a discussion of America as a great nation, referring to the coming of the Pilgrims, and it has prospered and grown because it heard the call and built upon the firm foundation of the book of books. We shall continue only so long as we remain true to these foundations. He alluded to the firm faith of Washington and Lincoln, and of great men of later days like McKinley and Roosevelt, and said that men who believe in God can be trusted to pilot us now. We can continue not by might nor by power, but by clinging to the spirit of the true Christ. America will continue to bless mankind, if we cling to the ideals upon which our founders built the republic, and we must be as loyal as were those veterans, and be willing to lay down our lives if need be for liberty and freedom even as were they.

At the close of the sermon, Rev. Dr. Pendleton announced the offering for the relief fund of the post and \$12.93 was received. The choir of the church then rendered as an anthem, "Rest, Soldiers, Rest," and America was sung by the choir and congregation, the benediction being pronounced by Rev. F. M. Caughy.

Sells Express Delivery.

Aiderman James O. Coy has sold his express and delivery business to William Thomas of 15 South Main street, who takes possession this morning. Mr. Coy will remain with Mr. Thomas until he becomes familiar with the business. Mr. Coy has been in the business for about a quarter of a century and his jovial personality will be missed by his many patrons. He will take a brief vacation before engaging in other business. He has not definitely decided upon future plans.

Heard on the Street.

That a chap recently paid 99 cents for a quart of strawberries, \$3 for a neck tie and \$15 for a silk shirt. Do you hear the jazz music? We are having a foot frolic of fiddling and dancing. I would not have people go to the extremes of self denial, but we can well get along with simpler living, fewer luxuries and cheaper and more wholesome pleasures, in order to reduce the high cost of living. Make the old suit last, buy new clothes when you really need them, but cut out extremes of style. In short, cut down excess of consumption and speed up production. A little. A great deal is not asked of anyone, but a little from every one. This is what my sensible 3,000 little fellows are doing in getting homes and farms and providing for old age, sickness or loss of a job. Is it any wonder that they sometimes get ugly and talk of a strike against having to pass of a strike against care for those who can't dance and fiddle. Hunt up the fact, I am the safe and sane Oneonta Building and Loan association. advt 31

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WINDOW BREAKERS IN COURT.

Youthful Trio Who Maliciously Destroyed Property Arrested Saturday.

Three boys, all under 15 years of age, were in police court Saturday to face charges of juvenile delinquency, it being alleged that while throwing stones they maliciously broke several window panes in the saw mill at 42 Gilbert street conducted by Marvin W. Edmunds. Mr. Edmunds, in company with other property owners of that vicinity, has frequently complained of the wanton destruction of his property by gangs of rowdies, and this latest piece of mischief resulted in his decision to have the offenders punished.

The youthful trio accordingly were arrested Saturday and arraigned before Judge Huntington. They gave their names as Charles Koury, Richard Sager and Arthur Sager, all of the Lower River street vicinity, and pleaded guilty to the charge. The two Sager boys have been in court on several occasions for misconduct, and apparently have no intention of keeping within the law. After considering their case, Judge Huntington ordered them placed under the parole of Chief of Police Horton, and the boys will be given a chance to mend their ways. The Koury boy, who was in court for the second time, was given a suspended sentence. They agreed to reimburse Mr. Edmunds for the damage done.

In imposing sentence, Judge Huntington gave the boys a straightforward talk on their duty as future citizens of Oneonta, and urged them to mend their ways so as to be assets to the community. He sounded a warning to boys of the city who persist in maliciously destroying property and hoped that it would not be found necessary to bring more of them into court.

GARDENS IN ONEONTA.

Plenty of Land and Plenty of Time to Get in Crops.

No one who as yet has not planted a garden need think that there is no more land available, or that the season is too late to get in crops. In fact there are, besides the park areas, many lots in the city as yet unused which no doubt could be had for the asking, or at least for a nominal sum. Inquiry in person in the vicinity of one's home, or at the Chamber of Commerce rooms will no doubt put anyone who wants a garden in the way of having his wishes gratified. There is plenty of time yet for anybody to plant practically anything which ever ripens in this climate and have it reach maturity. Potatoes, corn, beans of any kind, tomatoes, turnips, beets, carrots, onions, and practically all varieties of peas, particularly the earlier sorts, are among the crops which can be planted with assurance that they will ripen.

Have you a garden? If not, it would be well to give the matter consideration. Present prices of all foodstuffs are high and there is no prospect of their being low. A garden plot is an anchor to windward in the days of high prices.

Many housekeepers, who formerly used butterine only for cooking, have learned to use it for every purpose, since Hygrade brand was placed on the market. advt 61

For a quick sale—Behr Bros. upright piano, slightly used. A bargain for someone. M. C. Dales, 250 Main street. advt 61

CARNIVAL OPENS TONIGHT

Williams Standard Shows Arrived During the Night from Buffalo — All Features in Readiness for Tonight at Neahwa Park.

The Williams Standard Shows, which are to stage the Carnival of the Firemen and City Band at Neahwa park all this week, arrived during the night from Buffalo, where they closed Saturday night a most successful two weeks' management, and this morning, bright and early, work will commence erecting the attractions and special features at the park, with assurance that everything will be ship-shape in time for the opening this evening.

Chairman E. J. McDonough of the Firemen's entertainment committee and his co-workers are putting the finishing touches on the final arrangements and the indications are that the carnival will be a great success both as a show and financially.

As it will surpass in number the carnival originally announced, as the Williams Standard shows are bringing 15 heavy loaded cars and rushed them through from Buffalo by special train. The city band will assemble in front of the Municipal building and make a few selections before marching to the park. With good weather promising, Manager Ben Williams promises plenty of amusement for both old and young.

TELLS TOMORROW'S WEATHER.

New Recording Barometer Attracts Attention at Marsh Drug Store.

Much interest has been manifested during the past few days by patrons of the Marsh drug store in a new and simple form of recording barometer, which has been installed by Dr. Marsh for the information and convenience of his patrons. The new instrument, known as the Cyclo-Stormograph and the manufacturers affirm will give twelve hours in advance information concerning the weather.

The Cyclo-Stormograph charts on a cylinder of paper all weather changes, a pen drawing a line either rising or falling indicating the barometric pressure. All interested will be welcome at the store to consult the Stormograph.

Pet Dog Lost.

Our large Alredale terrier, full grown, disappeared Friday afternoon, May 21. He is tan and grizzle in part with curly hair and docked tail. Goes by name of Caesar Boy. Reward for his return or information that will lead to his recovery. Dr. G. H. Drinkman, 3 Grand street. advt 61

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DEATH OF JOHN HESLER

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John Hesler, a native of Berne, Switzerland, but for the past 33 years a resident of Oneonta, died at 6:29 o'clock Saturday evening at the Fox Memorial hospital, to which institution he was taken the previous day. Death was caused by bronchial asthma, and he was ill only four days. Friends who desire to do so are invited to pay their respects at the McCrum undertaking rooms this evening, and the funeral service, which will also be held there, will be at 2 p. m. on Tuesday. Rev. P. M. Luther of the Lutheran church of the Atonement will officiate, and interment will be in the Plains cemetery.

Mr. Hesler was born February 25, 1845, and at about the age of 25 years came to the United States, residing for a time in New York city and later in Albany. He came to Oneonta in 1877, purchasing the property at 269 Chestnut street, which ever after was his home. He was by occupation a butcher, a trade which he learned in Switzerland and France; and for some time after coming to Oneonta he conducted a market here. Later he was employed in various shops of the city and was well known to their patrons. For some time he had not been regularly employed, but many friends of earlier years will pleasantly remember him.

The deceased is survived by his wife, two sons, John and Fred Hesler, and two daughters, Mrs. A. Woods and Miss Elizabeth Hesler, all of Schenectady. He leaves also eleven grandchildren, as well as many relatives in Switzerland.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Edward Vandenberg. Mrs. Edward Vandenberg died at her home, 46 Valleyview street, Sunday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock of Bright's disease and complications following an attack of influenza suffered a year and more ago. She had been confined to the house for about three months. The funeral services will be held from the home Wednesday at 2 p. m., new time, with Rev. Dr. Pendleton officiating.

Her maiden name was Lucy Ann Beams and she was born near Colliers August 28, 1878, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beams. She spent all her early life at the family home there. On January 5, 1907 she was united in marriage with Mr. Vandenberg and they commenced house-keeping here. Since they have resided at Mt. Vision, West Davenport and Meridale, removing here from the latter place in November.

Mrs. Vandenberg is survived by her husband, two young daughters, Geneva and Marjorie, and by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beams. She never enjoyed robust health but was kindly disposed and patient to the last.

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PERSONALS

P. H. Lambert of Cobleskill called upon friends in Oneonta yesterday.

Frederick Clark of Oneonta left Saturday for Binghamton to visit his sister, Mrs. H. R. White.

Mrs. Charles H. Bowditch was the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. J. Grosse, in Cooperstown yesterday.

Mrs. Lina Hubbard of Unadilla was the guest yesterday of her daughter, Leah, at 119 River street.

Miss Mildred Hulbert of Otego was a guest over Sunday at the home of W. J. Cook, West Oneonta.

Bayard Bigelow of 5 Lawn avenue leaves today for a week's business trip to Utica, Albany and New York.

Mrs. Hattie A. Johnson of 24 Broad street left Saturday for Unadilla to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lina Van Scoy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lennon of Albany are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. U. Bennett of 1 Pearl street.

Mrs. Josephine Blake of 11 Kearney street left Sunday for Brant to visit her sister, Mrs. Erastus Carr, for a few days.

Mrs. Milton Brown of Laurens was in Oneonta Saturday on the way to Binghamton to visit her family for a few days.

Mrs. Florence Cronkite of Balmbridge, who had been spending a few days with Oneonta friends, returned home Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Wilkinson of New Berlin arrived in Oneonta Saturday to visit at the home of Mrs. C. M. Radcliffe of 7 Hill place.

Miss Gwendolyn Lawson of the High School faculty left Saturday for Albany and Schenectady to visit relatives over the week-end.

Harold Fish of Middletown, who had been visiting at the home of Attorney Alva Seybolt of 15 Elm street, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. H. Maynard of Oneonta left Saturday for Brooklyn to spend several days as the guest of Mrs. A. J. Ritter and Mrs. J. T. Ritter.

Mrs. F. S. Pond of 519 Main street returned on Saturday from a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Deposit and Cannonsville.

Mrs. James P. King of 10 Neahwa place left Sunday for several days' visit with relatives and friends in Scranton and Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Ralph Townsend, who is employed in the Franklin Auto shops in Syracuse arrived in Oneonta Saturday to visit his parents at 1 Birch street.

Banner J. Marble of Maryland, who had been spending a few days in Cooperstown and Oneonta, returned yesterday to his home in Maryland.

Mrs. Paul F. Watkeys, who underwent an operation performed by Dr. C. R. Marsh at the Fox Memorial hospital on Tuesday last, is rapidly recovering.

Mrs. O. A. Gardner, who had been spending the last week with her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Wilson, at Groton, returned Sunday to her home in Oneonta.

Mrs. Charles Vaughn and children, lately of this city, left yesterday for Detroit, Mich., where Mr. Vaughn has a position as signal electrician with the Michigan Central railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hampstead, who had been residing in Oneonta at 100 Center street for several months, left Saturday for Lake Como, Pa., where they will reside in future.

The Misses Laura and Mary DeLap and Master Cyrus DeLap of Quaker street, who had been week-end guests of their aunt, Mrs. S. H. Cornell of 61 Main street, returned home yesterday.

I. S. Dauley arrived home yesterday from a business trip to Barre, Vt., where for weeks the employees of the quarries have been on a strike, despite a three-year contract with employees.

Mrs. V. W. Cable and children of Afton, who had been visiting at the home of Mrs. Cable's mother, Mrs. Irene Elderkin of North Franklin, were in Oneonta Saturday on the way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Loudon, who had been spending a few days in this city on business, left for Binghamton Saturday. Mr. Loudon is a salesman for the Friendship Stove company of New York.

John J. Crotty, who had been spending a few days with his family in Oneonta, returned yesterday to Norank, Conn., where he has a good position with the United States Shipping board.

Mrs. Harry Jefford and two sons of Whitney's Point arrived in Oneonta Saturday and are guests for some days of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McClean, 4 North Fifth street.

Mrs. W. J. Strait returned yesterday to her home at Milford, after a brief visit with her daughter, Mrs. Blanche Woodward. Mrs. Woodward accompanied her home yesterday to spend the day there.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of 7 Elton avenue returned home Saturday evening from New York city and Yorkers where they had been visiting Mrs. Smith's sisters, Mrs. Thomas and Miss Cutman.

Miss Bertha Baker, who for two weeks had been in Oneonta assisting in the care of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Raymond, who is convalescing from her recent illness, returned yesterday to Ridgefield Park, N. J.

H. W. Sheldon is out of town for a few days on a trip through the western part of the state. While away he expects to buy a large number of cows and ship them here to be sold at auction in the near future.

Mrs. H. W. Otman of Binghamton, but formerly of Oneonta, who came on Saturday to attend the Women of Mooseheart legion chapter event, remains for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends here and about the county.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Huff, Mrs. Louise McElroy and Mrs. Ella Wangelin of Buffalo, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boswell and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Merritt of Binghamton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Blanchard of this city while in attendance at the institution and banquet of the Women of Mooseheart legion Saturday.

Mrs. Merritt will be remembered here as Miss Ethel Roswell.

Shirley E. Prentice of 73 Clinton street, who underwent an operation at the Fox hospital on Monday last, is reported to be doing as well as could be expected, with encouragement given that he will be permanently relieved.

Miss Maude Stewart, who for the past week had been at her home on South Side convalescing from a recent attack of pneumonia, returned Sunday to Schenectady, where she resumed her work today as instructor in the public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Elies of Milford were business callers in the city Saturday and made the purchase of a motor washing machine, which will greatly lighten the Mrs. Monday's work. Mr. Elies, before leaving, joined the automobile club.

Dr. F. J. McMennan, who for several weeks has been ill suffering from muscular rheumatism and who for three weeks has been receiving vapor bath treatment at the Fox hospital, is convalescing and hopes to be about before the close of the present week.

JOHNNY RAY in "JIGGS IN SOCIETY" "BRINGING UP FATHER"

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The First of The Bringing Up Father Series of Comedies Will Be Shown in Addition to the Regular Feature at the Oneonta Theatre, Tomorrow and Wednesday. Bring the Kiddies to Laugh with Father.

Barnes and family and Mrs. Julia Barnes of Davenport Center, and Mrs. D. J. Brazee and children of North Franklin were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Stewart of South Side.

Edwin M. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Moore of 27 Chestnut street, recently a student at the Navy Yeoman school at Newport, R. I., is home for a ten days' furlough. Mr. Moore has passed the final examinations in his course at Newport and leaves on August 1st for the coast to board a U. S. destroyer.

Normals Banquet at Utica. There were over 100 members of the Central New York association of Oneonta Normal alumni present at the annual banquet held Saturday afternoon at the Hotel Martin in Utica. In addition to the association membership, there were present, among others, Dr. P. I. Hugbee, Dr. C. A. Schumacher and Professors Curtis, Lynch and Anibal of the Normal faculty, and Superintendent DeCamp of the Utica public schools. Dr. Hugbee acted as toastmaster, and there were timely addresses by him and by each of the other gentlemen named, this feature of the program being interspersed by the familiar Normal school songs and by vocal solos by some of the members. The meeting was one of the most interesting and well attended ever held by the Utica association.

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MARRIAGES. Germond-Decker. Sussex, N. J., was the scene of a wedding which is of interest to many Oneonta people, as at that place on May 6 Mrs. Lois H. Decker of Delhi was united in marriage to Iretus D. Germond of this city.

The ceremony was performed at the Methodist parsonage by Dr. A. J. Biss in the presence of a few friends and relatives.

After motoring through New Jersey and the Hudson valley, they arrived at their new home at 12 Grand street and the congratulations and good wishes of their many friends will welcome them here.

The bride, who is a popular young woman, leaves her home village with the good wishes of all and many tokens of friendship. Mr. Germond is very well known and has a host of friends here, particularly in railroad circles, as he has for several years been connected with the Ulster and Delaware railroad and recently with the Delaware and Hudson company, where he now holds an important position in the local freight office.

A May Dance. D. Hopkins lodge, No. 1, B. of R. T. will hold a dance at Dreamland hall, Monday evening, May 24. Canning's orchestra. advt 2t

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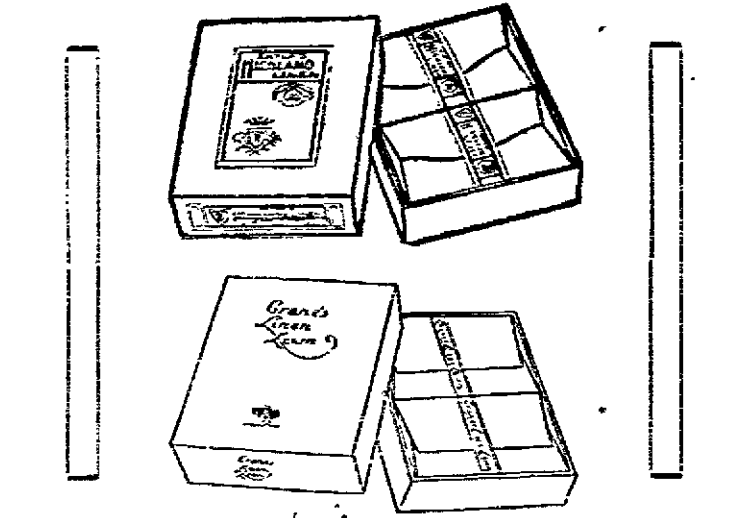
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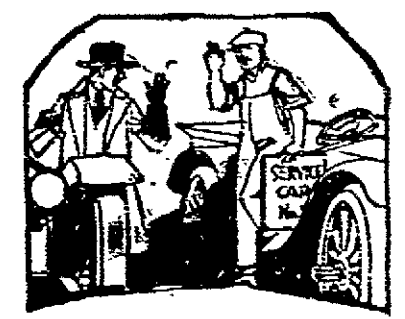
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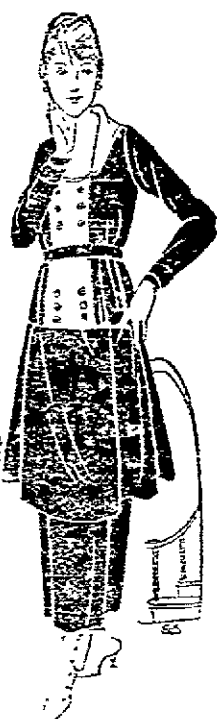


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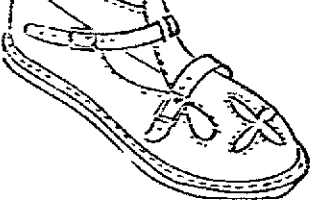
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